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<b>UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL</b>  <small>(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b))</small>	<b>Attorney Docket No.</b> 12013/50201	
	<b>First Inventor</b>	Steven Spencer
	<b>Title</b>	Medical Implant Processing Chamber
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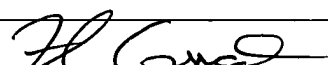
<b>APPLICATION ELEMENTS</b> <small>See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.</small>  1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17) <small>(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)</small> 2. <input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. <small>See 37 CFR 1.27.</small> 3. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Specification [Total Pages <span style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 0 5px;">18</span> ] <small>(preferred arrangement set forth below)</small> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Descriptive title of the invention</li><li>- Cross Reference to Related Applications</li><li>- Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R &amp; D</li><li>- Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix</li><li>- Background of the invention</li><li>- Brief Summary of the invention</li><li>- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)</li><li>- Detailed Description</li><li>- Claim(s)</li><li>- Abstract of the Disclosure</li></ul> 4. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets <span style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 0 5px;">3</span> ] 5. Oath or Declaration [Total Pages <span style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 0 5px;">3</span> ] <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Newly executed (original or copy)</li><li>b. <input type="checkbox"/> Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63 (d)) <small>(for a continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)</small></li><li>i. <input type="checkbox"/> <b>DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)</b> <small>Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).</small></li></ul> 6. <input type="checkbox"/> Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76	<b>ADDRESS TO:</b> Assistant Commissioner for Patents Box Patent Application Washington, DC 20231  7. <input type="checkbox"/> CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix) 8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary) <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>a. <input type="checkbox"/> Computer Readable Form (CRF)</li><li>b. Specification Sequence Listing on:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>i. <input type="checkbox"/> CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or</li><li>ii. <input type="checkbox"/> paper</li></ul></li><li>c. <input type="checkbox"/> Statements verifying identity of above copies</li></ul> <b>ACCOMPANYING APPLICATIONS PARTS</b> 9. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s)) 10. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 37 C.F.R. §3.73(b) Statement <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Power of Attorney <small>(when there is an assignee)</small> 11. <input type="checkbox"/> English Translation Document (if applicable) 12. <input type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 <input type="checkbox"/> Copies of IDS Citations 13. <input type="checkbox"/> Preliminary Amendment 14. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) <small>(Should be specifically itemized)</small> 15. <input type="checkbox"/> Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) <small>(if foreign priority is claimed)</small> 16. <input type="checkbox"/> Nonpublication Request under 35 U.S.C. 122 (b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 or its equivalent. 17. <input type="checkbox"/> Other:
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☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27**TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT** (\$) 806**Complete if Known**

Application Number	Unassigned
Filing Date	Herewith
First Named Inventor	Steven Spencer
Examiner Name	Unassigned
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Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description	Fee Paid
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**2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE**

	Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
Total Claims	22	-20 ** = 2	X 18	= 36
Independent Claims	2	-3 ** = 0	X 86	= 0
Multiple Dependent			X	= 0

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1204	86	2204	43	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
1205	18	2205	9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

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1401	330	2401	165	Notice of Appeal	
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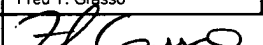
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Inventor(s): Steven Spencer

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For: **MEDICAL IMPLANT  
PROCESSING CHAMBER**

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Examiner: Unknown

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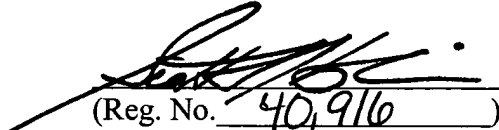
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